



ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH, HIGHLAND CREEK

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Saturday 5:00 p.m. Baya Arts

Sunday 9:00 a.m. Isis Rebello

Sunday 11:00 a.m. Jason Gotera

Sunday 7:00 p.m. Barbara Sullivan

Organist: Gerard Johnston

Place for Prayer

The Chapel in the Rectory basement is open daily from 9:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. & 1:30 - 5:00 p.m. for individuals or small groups

Masses

Saturday: 5:00 p.m. (Sunday Liturgy)

Sunday: 9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m., 7:00 p.m.

First Fridays: 7:30 p.m.

First Saturdays: 7:00 p.m. (Pilipino)

Weekdays: 9:00 a.m. Mon. to Sat. (Rosary 8:25 a.m.)

Confessions

Saturday 4:00 p.m. to 4:45 p.m. (or on request)

Baptisms

Please contact St. Joseph's Parish Office at 416-282-0370.

Marriages

Please contact St. Joseph's Parish Office at 416-282-0370.

Care of the Sick or Housebound

To request prayers, visitation and/or Communion for the sick or housebound please call 416-282-0370.

Parish Facilities

For reservations inquire for the Parish Hall and Meeting Rooms please contact Joanne Cline at the Parish Office, 416-282-0370.

Parish Ministries

Altar Servers	Eric Pinto
Catholic Women's League	Kim Deans and Marla Tanuan
CFC Foundation for Family & Life	Leo & Jane De Guia
Extraordinary Eucharistic Ministers	Phil & Winnie Martin
Finance Council	Tom Wetzel
Knights of Columbus	David Belcastro
Lectors	Leo & Jane De Guia
Legion of Mary	Dawne Williams & Rohini Furtado
Liturgy for Children	Lavern Walters
Prayer Group	Jennie Fernandes & Sheila McManus
RCIA	Donna Tomie
Refugee-Outreach Committee	Carmela Gaudet
St. Vincent de Paul Society	Lydia Lampers Wallner
Screening Committee	Therese Baduria
Seniors 50+	Joe Van Pinxteren
ShareLife	Pat Sheehan
Sunday School	Angie Bernard
Technology Ministry	Isis Rebello
Ushers	5:00 p.m. Peter Almeida
	9:00 a.m. Benny Cyncora
	11:00 a.m. Val Felix
	7:00 p.m. Todd Noftall
Wedding Co-ordinator	Ingrid Stalteri
Youth Ministry	Angela Bernard

Parish Schools

Cardinal Leger	600 Morrish Road	416-393-5419
St. Brendan	186 Centennial Road	416-393-5359
St. Dominic Savio	50 Tideswell Blvd.	416-393-5467
St. Jean de Brebeuf	101 Dean Park Road	416-393-5394

Parish Office Hours

Monday to Friday 9:00 a.m. - 12.30 p.m.
 1:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

St. Joseph's is wheelchair accessible

November 24, 2019
Christ the King
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MASSES FOR THE WEEK
November 23 to November 30

Sat. Nov 23	9:00 am	Intention of Celina & Tony Zagrai
	5:00 pm	† Zacharias Pinto
Sun. Nov 24	9:00 am	† Benito Barbieri
	11:00 am	The People of the Parish
	7:00 pm	† Saverimuttu Asirvatham
Mon. Nov 25	9:00 am	Intention of Kathleen Mills-Reece
Tues. Nov 26	9:00 am	† Intention of the Tellis & Miranda families
Wed. Nov 27	9:00 am	† Deceased members of the Kufer Family
Thurs. Nov 28	9:00 am	† Deceased members of the Hahn Family
Fri. Nov 29	9:00 am	Intention of Andrew Fan Intention of the Sweeny Family
		† Michael & Margaret Mullane
		† Gerardo Laberinto
		† Living and deceased Priests
Sat. Nov 30	9:00 pm	Intention of Celina & Tony Zagrai
	5:00 pm	† Leopold D'Souza



SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT de PAUL
Our 2019 Christmas Appeal

We are beginning our annual Christmas Appeal. Through your generous support, our neighbours in need will have a blessed and joyful Christmas. If you or your workplace would like to sponsor a family, please give us a call for details on a family. **Please try to contact us before December 1st**, which is the date that we aim to have our Christmas list completed. Your donation and other donations are combined to buy gift cards from No-Frills and Wal-Mart to match the needs of the eligible families. Early donations are greatly appreciated. Income Tax receipts are provided for all donations received and they will be mailed out in late January. Store receipts are required for donated gift baskets but not required for gift cards. If you know of any family in the Parish who could use some help this Christmas or for further information, **please contact us at 416-282-0370 ext. 217.**



REFLECTION

Our king was counted among criminals and crucified! He refused to save himself, nor did he remove his fellow sufferers from their crosses of pain. By embracing human powerlessness, Jesus saved all who acknowledge him as Lord. Like the good thief, we who now share in Jesus' suffering will also share his glory. But do we disciples willingly accept for the Church that role which Jesus chose for himself? Or do we want the Church to have the world's power and prestige? Such a triumphant community has nothing in common with its crucified Lord. Descendant of king David whom we meet in today's first reading, Christ is the shepherd-king who leads his people in truth not in triumph. The Colossians hymn tells us that Jesus, first in creation, is first in redemption through his reconciling death. Is reconciliation our priority as we follow Christ our king? What God plans for Christ's disciples far surpasses worldly prestige, just as the title given Christ in mockery cannot describe his present glory.
 (Sunday Mass Book)

NEW TO THE PARISH?

You can find further information about us on our website and register on line. www.stjosephstoronto.org/



PARISH MINISTRY—CONTACTS

Catholic Women's League: Kim Deans 416-206-6341 & Marla Tanuan 416-209-8659. General Meetings are held on the 2nd Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m. in Room 2.
Faith Enrichment: Bonnie Washer at 416-284-5772 or Louise at 416-283-5055 Thursdays at 9:30 -10:45 a.m. in Room 2.
Knights of Columbus: David Belcastro at 647-458-0591 General Meetings every 3rd Thursday of the month at 7:30 p.m. in Room 2.
Legion of Mary: Dawne Williams at 416-284-8699 or Rohini Furtado at 647-827-5964. Meetings are on every Tuesday in Room 1. Adults meet at 7:30 pm and Juniors meet at 6:30 pm.
Live Christ Share Christ Program: Francis and Therese Baduria at 416-281-5973. Meetings every first Saturday of the month after the 9:00 a.m. mass.
Prayer Group: Jennie Fernandes at 416-286-3568 or Sheila McManus at 416-4388453. Meetings every Thursday 7:30 p.m.
Refugee Outreach: Carmela Gaudet at 416-283-8151. Meets on the last Saturday of the month after the Gatherings.
Seniors 50+ Club: Joe Van Pinxteren at 416-284-4213 Lunch, cards, scrabble and companionship from 12:00 - 3:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall every Wednesday. Seniors Mass is on the 3rd Wednesday of each month at 11:00 a.m.
St. Vincent de Paul Society: Meets every 2nd Saturday of the month at 9:30 am. in Room 3. Contact: 416-282-0370 ext. 217
Technology Ministry: Contact Isis Rebello, 416-286-0707
Youth Ministry: Contact Angie Bernard, 647-242-8429 or youth.ministry@stjosephstoronto.org

SACRAMENTAL MINISTRY

First Communion:

Reconciliation Nov. 30th at 10:00 a.m.

First Communion 1st meeting

*****Children are expected to attend these meetings*****

Sunday February 9th @ 1:00 p.m.

or Monday February 10th @ 7:00 p.m.

First Communion 2nd meeting

Sunday March 1st @ 1:00 p.m.

Monday March 2nd @ 7:00 p.m.

Confirmation:

Parent Volunteer Meeting on
Sunday, November 24 at 12:15 p.m.

Confirmation Classes will run on
On a monthly basis from Jan. to May

Confirmation Masses:

Tuesday, May 19, at 7:00 p.m.

St. Brendan & St. Jean de Brebeuf

Wednesday, May 20, at 7:00 p.m.

Cardinal Leger, St. Dominic Savio
& Sunday School.

NOTE OF APPRECIATION

The CWL of St. Joseph's Parish would like to thank the Knights of Columbus, the St. Joseph's 50+ club, our Parish Community, Ministries, our families and the many friends for their help, contributions, dedication and for coming out to celebrate the day with us year after year. To the many CWL sisters in the League who gave your talents, time and worked tirelessly for the success of the 2019 Annual Bazaar—Thank you! The weather was perfect and food was delicious, great vendors and everyone had a wonderful time. It's because of your generosity and hard work that we are able to serve and support our Parish and the many charities who depend on our financial assistance.
Thank you again and God Bless.



FAMILY NEW YEAR'S EVE CELEBRATION WITH GOD

December 31st at 6:30 to 11:00 p.m.

This is a family friendly, potluck, alcohol free event

Tickets are \$5.00 and children under

5 years of age are free.

7:00 p.m. the Potluck begins followed by fun games

9:00 p.m. Rosary

9:30 p.m. Early Countdown

And after that until 11:00 p.m. DANCING!

Dance Like David (1 Sam 6:3,5)

Net proceeds will benefit our Youth Ministry

*Children in grade 8 and under must be accompanied by a parent



ST. JOSEPH'S CHRISTMAS BELLS

Family Christmas party on

Saturday December 14th at 6:00 to 9:00 p.m.

in the Church Hall.

Food, caroling, face painting, Ugly Christmas sweater
contest, Arts & Crafts, Entertainment.

AND.....

A visit from Santa Claus!

Get your family photo taken with Old Saint Nick!

Fun for the whole family!

ADVENT PARISH RETREAT

Here at our Church Hall

On Saturday, December 7th, 9:30 p.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Pray, Sing, Hear, Contemplate

Deacon Andy Kemp and Fr. Deniel Sehlapelo

explain "Advent: The Return to God"



BIBLE STUDY

New Bible Study for 2020!

If you are interested in registering for the 2020 Bible
Study—Matthew—the King and His Kingdom.

24 Sessions, January 7 to June 23, 2020.

Weekly Small Group discussion and DVD teaching

St. Joseph's Parish Hall, Tuesday 7:00 to 9:00 p.m.

Please come to the Narthex after Mass on
the weekend of November 30th,

December 1st with

questions and signing up.



RIGHT TO LIFE CHRISTMAS CARDS

These are available for purchase.

The cost is \$10.00 per package of 10 (mixed design).

Contact Lucia for information at 416-283-3536



MOVIE NIGHT

Wednesday, November 27 from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m.

CWL is screening "Fatal Flaws"

Contact: Marla-416-209-8659 or Kim-416-206-6341

REMEMBRANCE MASS

There will be a Mass on Friday,
November 29th at 7:30 p.m. dedicated to
all the souls listed in the
Book of Remembrance.



Youth Ministry Corner

<https://www.stjosephstoronto.org/ministries/youth/>

On Nov 22, EDGers experienced that God's 1st
Commandment calls us to love and turn to Him
who has chosen us.

Youth in Grade 6, 7 and 8 come and BE free

Next HS FOUNDATIONS:

Next meeting is on Dec. 1st at 4:00 to 6:30 p.m.

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